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The postage law, which goes into operation 1st of January, 1875, requires prepayment on all newspapers sent through the mails beyond the limits of the counties in which they are published. We have, therefore, determined to adopt the CASH PLAN for all subscriptions. While avoiding the losses, tardy payments and expenses of collection incident to the credit system, we will be required to prepay the postage The change determined upon will, therefore, prove beneficial to both subscribers and publisher. The former will be relieved of the postage tax whilst the latter will be enabled to simplify the operations of his business and to improve the facilities for conducting it.

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During the past few months every subscriber in arrears has been furnished, through the mails, with a statement of his account. Many have responded with remittances discharging their liabilities and paying in advance for the current year. We appeal urgently to those who have not made a similar response to do so without further delay, as after the first of January, 1875, we will commence to discontinue the paper to tion is paid for in advance. we will commence to discontinue the paper to those who have not paid in advance. The time within which all in arrears can close up the balances due and make an advance payment is ample, and we flatter ourselves that but few names will be dropped.

Alexandria, November 9.

EDUCATED OYSTERS Before the railroad days our oyster growers used early in the fall to canvass the villages on the Hudson river for oyster orders, to be filled just before the river should be closed with ice. The meaning of this is that these men commit-ted themselves to supply oysters in the shell, with the guarantee that the bivalves thus supplied should not die befere their time came. The oysters were actually kept alive during the greater part of the long winter. The fat bivalves were handled with some care, and were spread on the cellar, the round or lower ers, Dizziness, Sour Stomach, bad taste side down, so as not to allow the liquor to escape. That such a life required a great change of capacity or habit in the bivalve is evident. and it needed a training, yes, an education, ere the oyster attained to such ability. And this was the way it was done: Beginning early in the fall, the cultivator of the oyster took up the fat bivalves from their bed where he had planted them, and laid them a little higher upon the shore, so that for a short time each day they were exposed out of the water. After a few days of this exposure by the retreating tide, they were moved a little higher still on the shore line, which gave them a little longer exposure to the air at each low tide. And this process was continued, each remove resulting in a little longer exposure. And with what results? Two very curious ones-inurement to exposure and the inculcation of a provident habit of making preparation for the same. What! providence in an oyster? Yes, when he's educated. When accustomed to this treatment, ere the tide retires the oyster takes a good full drink, and retains the same until the tide returns. Once, while waiting for the stage

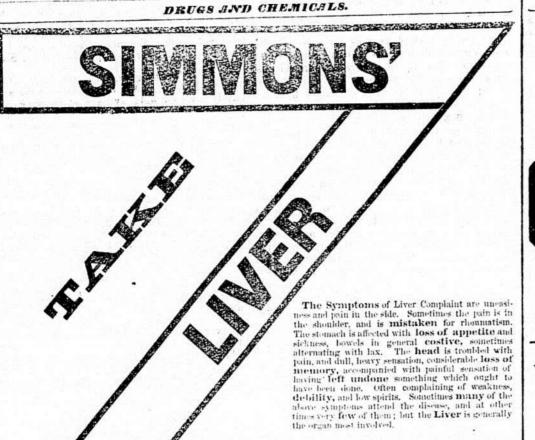
With better philosophy on their side, these educated oysters, twice in every twenty four hours took their precautionary drink. The Freuch method of oyster training is much more laborious. The adult bivalves are carefully spread out in the water, and periodical lessons are given to each one individually. Each oyster on this occasion receives a tap, not with a ferule, but with a small iron instrument. This causes the bivalves to close tightly. Finally the last day comes with its last premonitory tap. Its education thus finished, it takes passage with its fellow graduates for Paris. As a result of its education, it knows how to keep its mouth shut when it enters society. - Popular Science Monthly.

at a country hostelry, we overheard the follow

ing between two rustic practitioners at the bar :

A DISGUSTED BURGLAR.—The city of Chicago has a burglar who professes to be shocked by the meanness and false pretenses of the inhabitants. The whole town, according to a statement before us, has been put in a state of consternation by a mysterious plunderer sup-dosed to be "Jack of Pittsburg," who enters houses while the inmates are at supper, rifles the jewelry boxes and greenback hoards and silver baskets, and when met by any of those whom he has plundered, bows himself out, saying that he has mistaken the house. No one had any idea of the greenbacks hoarded away, the costly jewels that fond husbands and fathers and friends had bestowed as souvenirs of their affection, the watches, bronches, rings, and neck-loces blazing with diamonds and pearls, and built up with solid gold, that were just lying around loose in those Chicago houses and that are now mourned by their disconsolate owners. It seems, however, that "Jack" considers himself as much an injured man as his victims, for he writes to the Tribune to say that in most of the houses he entered he found chiefly dollar-store jewelry, pinchbeck watches, oroide and the like; that the whole amount of of his plunder will now suffice to buy him a first class ticket to Pittsburg, and that the people who are bewailing the loss of their valuables never owned anything more valuable that a Cape May diamond, unless it was a Cairngorm pebble. Well may the heart of a conscientious burglar be appalled at such iniquity.

BE CAREFUL HOW YOU EAT OYSTERS .- A well known physician of this city has for the past two weeks been suffering from a strange bronchial affection, and his sufferings finally became so great that many of his professional friends feared a fatal result. He has for over a week been troubled with a painful cough, and his throat became so inflamed and swollen that he could only breathe with the greatest difficulty. Several of his professional friends examined his throat, but were unable to determine the nature of the disease. Yesterday morning however whilst and formulation of the disease. Yesterday morning however whilst and formulation of the disease. Yesterday morning however whilst and formulation of the disease. Yesterday morning however whilst and formulation of the disease. Yesterday morning however whilst and formulation of the disease of the dis however, whilst suffering intense pain, he was Powers' Compound Syrup of Tolu and Wild seized with a fit of coughing, and finally coughed up a thin piece of oyster-shell, about as thick WARFIELD & HALL'S, as a water and an eighth of an inch in length,



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IT HAS NO EQUAL.

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Druggist. mons' Liver Medicine for more than twenty

offered to the public."-M. R. Lyon and H. L. Lyon, Bellefontaine, Ga. "I was cured by Simmons' Liver Regulator,

The Clergy.

Ladics' Endorsement.

and in no case has it failed to give full satisfac-tion."—Ellen Meacham, Chattahooche, Fla.

"I have used your Regulator with successful effect in Bilious Colic and Dyspepsia. It is an excellent remedy, and certainly a public blessing."—C. Masterson, Bibb county, Ga. My Wife.

or years, and testify to its great virtues."-Rev. J. R. Felder, Perry. Ga.

the best medicines ever made for the Liver. My wife, and many others, have used it with won-derful effect."- E. K. Sparks, Albany, Ga.

also in my regular practice, and have found it a most valuable and satisfactory medicine, and believe if it was used by the protession it would be of service in very many cases. I know very much of its component parts, and can certify its medicinal qualities are perfectly harmless.' B. F. Griggs, M.D., Macon, Ga.

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Respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally that he has just returned from New York with a large and select assortment of HATS, CAPS AND FURS, all of the latest styles, and quality from the medium to the finest. He has the largest and best assortment of LADIES' and MISSES' FURS ever offered in this market, which he is prepared to sell at most reduced prices. He has also made arrangements with the most fashionable and best

Ladies' Furs repaired and White Furs cleaned. plied with the latest styles.

silk hat manufacturers in New York to be sup-

Cherry, Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar

oct 29 Corner Prince and Fair ax streets. which, it seems, was the cause of all the trouble, as the pain left simultaneously with the expulsion of the piece of shell.—Baltimore American, 9th.

CAPE COD CRANBERRIES, Layer, Valencia and Seedless Raisins, prime Citron and Lemon Peel, &c., &c., for sale by dec 14 dec 14

### G. Edwin Entwisle, of this city, having, by deed, dated the 13th day of October, 1874, conveyed to the under-igned all his stock in trade and other personal property and book accounts in trust for the benefit of all his creditors equally, they are hereby requested to present their claims and demands against him to me by the 15th of December, 1874; and those indebted to him will please make payment to me within that time.

nov 5-eotD15 E. J. MILLER, Trustee. QUININE AND GLYCERINE HAIR

This hair wash contains the tonic and invigorating properties of Quinine, with the softening and moistening properties of Glycerine. It is intended to prevent the Hair from falling out, and to promote its healthy and rapid growth. As a dressing for ordinary toilet use, it will be found an elegant preparation. Just received at WARFIELD & HALL'S.

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WE HAVE BEEN APPOINTED Local Agents for the sale of CUMBERLAND COAL,

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R. B. LAWSON & CO. | extremely low figure, and invite the attention of buyers. [dec 7] C. C. BERRY, 72 King st. | PRIME ITALIAN MACCARONI received STRICTLY PURE GROUND SPICES for to-day by [dec 14] J. C. MILBURN. | Sale by [dec 14] J. C. MILBURN. wives, just received.

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Governor of Alabama.

ever used for that class of diseases it purports to cure."-H. F. Thigpen.

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"I have given your medicinea thorough trial,

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"My wife and self have used the Regulator

"I think Simmons' Liver Regulator one of M. D.

"I have used the Regulator in my family, and

# No. 76 King Street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

### HOLIDAY GOODS FROM

NEW YORK AUCTIONS. Just received a large and handsome stock of goods suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, bought at auction at very low prices. I name

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Rich decorated MANTLE SETS. BOHEMIAN GLASS VASES, COLOGNE RICH FRENCH TOILET SETS.

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WHITE DINNER and TEA SETS, of WHITE DINNER and TEA SETS, of French China and best English Ironstone China. TOY TEA SETS, Cups and Saucers, Mugs and a variety of ther Toys.

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GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE, 76 King street. Variety great. Many goods at half value. Buy early and save 50 per cent. Twenty pre-

sents for \$1. Twenty presents for \$2. Many goods marked down to 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c and \$1 that are worth five times the amount. Encourage home enterprise, and purchase your Holiday Goods here, and you will save at your Holiday Gollar. CHAS. W. GREEN,

dec 8 76 King street.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS—We have received this day the following goods, which we will sell at prices to suit the times: Raisins, in whole, half and quarter boxes; loose Muscatel and Seedless do.; Imperial Figs in layers; Eleine do. in layers; Malaga Grapes; Oranges and Lemons; Citron and Lemon Peel; Almonds; English Walnuts; Pecans; Filberts and Palm Nuts; Atmore's and Anderson's Mince Meat; Apple Butter; Cox's Gelatine; Canned Goods; English and American Pickles, Sauces and Potted Meats; Canton Ginger; Pineapple, Edam and Sapsago Cheese; Brandy Peaches and Cher-ries; Olive Oil; Sardines; Flavoring Extracts. Also a large stock of fine Imported and Domestic Liquors, which we guarantee to be as pure as can be bought in this country. For bargains call on GEO. McBURNEY & SON, Fine Grocers and Liquor Dealers, 166 and 170 King street.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!
HOLIDAY PRESENTS!
I have in store, and shall add daily thereto, a large assortment of goods suitable for Christmas gifts. I name in part: China and Bohemian Ware, in great variety; Vases; Mugs; Cups and Saucers; Toilet Sets, in many beautiful designs; Smoking Sets, several patterns; Perfumery and Toilet Articles of all kinds; Dolls of RAISINS-LA A VERY superior assortment of ENGLISH &c.; Jewelry, consisting of Sets, Ear Rings, Breast Pins, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, &c.; Hand-kerchiefs, Plain, Hemstitched and Embroiderdec 8

JANNEY & CO. LARGE SPLIT LABRADOR HERRING, rous to mention, will be found useful presents for the holidays. I have marked all goods at an

dec 7

### HOLIDAY GOODS.

Such as Mottoed China Mugs, do. Cups and Saucers, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, China Tea Sets, large and small China Images, Pocket and Stand Mirrors, a good assortment of Vases and Toilet Sets, and many other Fancy Articles for sale very cheap at dec 14 GEO. W. FRANCIS'S.

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# HOLIDAYS.

A new lot of beautiful GERMAN ACCORD-EONS; also FRENCH do.; MUSICAL BOX-ES, HARMONICAS, FINE GUITARS, VIO-LINS, BANJOS, TAMBORINES, FLUTES, FLAGEOLETS, Drums, Zithers, Fine Music

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EVER OFFERED FOR SALE IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA. The stock comprises fine BIBLES, PRAYER
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For the Little Folks there is an endless variety of NEW BOOKS, in single volumes and

The list embraces the choicest American and English Books.

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PICTURES, BANKS, &c., from 25 cents to \$1.50 each. IMPROVED STEAM ENGINES, \$1 TO \$5.

### The new ELECTRIC ENGINES, \$6, runs for a month, and renewable forever. Russia Leather Goods

A SPECIALTY. SATCAELS and TRAVELLING BAGS, GLOVE and HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, in sets. PORTEMONNAIES, for ladies and gentlemen, with and without chains. Card Cases, Ladies' Companions, all sizes and prices. Segar

Cases, and many other articles, all of the finest Cases, and many other articles, all of the finest Russia Leather.

JAPANESE GOODS—A new and full stock of Fine Cabinets, from \$5 to \$15, beautifully inlaid, and in Lacquer Work. Trays, square and oval, Fruit Baskets, Card Receivers, Chinese Puzzles, Ivory Jack Straws, Beautiful Inlaid Straw Boxes, besides many other fine articles of Leathers work.

Japanese work.
Papier Mache Cabinets, Writing Desks, Glove Boxes and Card Boxes. These are the most elegantly ornamented goods, and entirely new

styles this season. In Rosewood and Gray I have all sizes of Writing Desks, finely inlaid with Pearl and Sliver, and finished inside in white enamel.

These are the finest Desks in the market.
Writing Cases, in leather, all sizes, very convenient for travellers.
Jewel Caskets, in Satin and Russia Leather.
Fine Bronze and Glass Instruments, Scotch Wood Goods, Stereoscopes and Views. Fine Backgammon, Boards and Men; Chess Men in

fine wood and Ivory.

Chromos, embracing the finest Figure Pieces and Landscapes. A very large stock of Flower Pieces, Crosses, in elegant framng. All new and beautiful goods. Pearl Card Cases, very handsome. Wostem-

holm's fine Pocket Knives. Opera Glasses of the best manufacture.
Work Boxes in fine Russia Leather, Rosewood, Satin Wood and Japanese work, all sizes

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French Bonbon Boxes, very richly made in satin and straw. Satin Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, lined with white watered silk. Fancy

Boxes, lined with white watered silk. Fancy
Baskets, lined with silk and leather.
Carved Wood Goods, embracing Wall Pockets, Slipper Pockets, Brackets, Clock Shelves,
Match Safes, Towel Racks, Hanging Baskets for
Flowers, in great variety.
Tae above comprise simply the leading articles
selected for the approaching holidays. A thousand and one things, impossible to enumerate in a single advertisement, have been provided, making one of the most complete assortments ever offered for sale in the State. Information

## cheerfully given by letter when it is not convo-nient to call and examine the stock. GEO. E. FRENCH,

95 King Street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

CHRISTMAS GROCERIES. The attention of my customers and the public generally is respectfully called to a large line of

choice goods, such as—
RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON,
PRESERVED JELLIES, CANNED GOODS in great variety, ENGLISH and AMERICAN PICKLES WORCESTERSHIRE and other SAUCES, NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, NEW YORK and VA. BUCKWHEAT,

HOMINY GRITS, &c., &c., ogether with a full stock of pure BRANDIES, WHISKIES, WINES, &c., &c. Also Virginia Crab Apple, New York and Newark CIDER— all of which will be sold at the very lowest rates,

consistent with fair dealing.

JOSEPH HOPKINS, Grocer, No. 5 north Fairfax st. DRIME HOME-MADE MINCE MEAT

# For sale by J. T. CRUMP, NO. SOUTH FAIRFAX ST.

nov 11-tJ1 Price 12½ cents per pound. PAISINS-LAYER and Seedless RAISINS R. B. LAWSON & CO.

nov 13 20 BBLS APPLES received and for sale by DAVY & HARMON. PRIME MINCE MEAT at nov 13 RAMSAY'S.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

# Holiday Goods

We are receiving our usual stock of HOLI-DAY GOODS, consisting of Tool Boxes, Dolls, Work Boxes, Tea Sets, Slipper Patterns, Jet Sets and Ornaments, fine Plated Jewelry, Silk Cord and Tassels, Perfumeries and Toilet Soaps, &c. 25 doz. Hair Brushes at 50c, worth \$1; 50 doz. Linen Collars at 6c, worth 12c.

FERGUSON & BRO'S.

dec 15

Hair Depot. 96 King st.

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### AUCTION SALES.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE—Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Virginia, rendered on the 7th day of November, 1874, in the suit of Windsor and Ford vs. James H. Darrow et als., the subscriber, commissioner of sale in the said suit, will expose for sale, at public auction, in front of the Court House of Fairfax county, Virginia, on MONDAY, the 18th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock m., all that LOT OF GROUND attached in the said suit, or so much thereof as is necessary to pay the sum of \$1,500.66, with interest on \$1,401.41, part thereof, from October 26, 1874, until paid, the amount decreed to the complainants in said suit, and costs—situated about one mile north of Fairfax Court House, in Fairfax county, Virginia, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in the middle of the old Court House road; thence with the centre of the said road north 15° east 50 poles 9 links to the corner of land heretofore owned by. Soloman Van Orden; thence with said line north 85½ west 58 poles 19 links to a planted stone 1 pole east of a branch; thence north 72° 23' west 188 poles to a marked white oak; thence south 21½ west 85 poles to a corner of H. Pruyne owned by Bailey; thence south 813° east 232 poles 10 links to the beginning; containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES, the same being the tract of land conveyed by William Ainsley and wife to Robert Strong, by deed of April 29th, 1861, and recorded in the land records of Fairfax county, liber D, No. 4, folio 171, and by deed dated the 30th of July, 1865, and recorded in liber F, No. 4, folio 414, land records of Fairfax county, and conveyed by Sarah Strong and husband to Thomas L. Hume.

Terms of sale to be as follows: So much in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of this suit and sale, and the residue in six, twelve and

hand as will pay the costs and expenses of this suit and sale, and the residue in six, twelve and eighteen months of equal payments; the purchaser to give bond with good personal security for the deferred payments, with interest thereon from day of sale. EDMUND BURKE,

Fairtax co., dec 15-w4w Com. of Sale.

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

TRUSTEE'S SALE—By virtue of a deed of trust from A. F. Moore to the undersigned, dated the 14th day of January, 1867, and duly recorded, I will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the Market Building, on Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia, on THURS-DAY, the 24th day of December, 1874, at 12 o'clock m., the following property, to wit:

All of that LOT, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon, in said city, bounded as follows: Beginning on the east side of St. Asaph street 112 feet to the north of Wilkes street, and running thence northwardly with St. Asaph street 14 feet By Green & Wise, thence northwardly with St. Asaph street 14 feet 8½ inches; thence eastwardly parallel with Wilkes street 61 feet 8½ inches; thence south-

wardly parallel with St. Asaph street 14 feet 81

inches; thence westwardly 61 feet 81 inches to

the beginning. Terms cash.
no 24-2awts H. O. CLAUGHTON, Trustee TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM IN LOUDOUN COUNTY—By virtue of a deed of trust from W. O. Ferguson and H. Kendall Wynter, dated the 30th day of July, 1870, duly recorded in the land records of Loudoun county, Va., and at the request of the party secured thereby, I will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the Market Building, on Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Va., at twelve o'clock m., on THURSDAY, the 24th day of licember 1874 all of that certain TRACT OR Declock m., on THURSDAY, the 24th day of December, 1874, all of that certain TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, in said county, lying about 2½ miles north of Guilford station, on the W. & O. R. R., containing 300 acres, with the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging. The land is well teneed, and has a good FRAME DWELLING, with eight rooms, kitchen harn stables or chards. &c.

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2d October, 1873, and \$2,000, with interest from 2d October, 1872; the residue in three equal annual instalments, with interest from the day of sale. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.
nov 23-eots J. E. WARNER, Trustee.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, December Rules, 1874:—Francis A. Murray vs. Vincent J. Sears and W. W. Valk. In chancery.

The object of this suit is to attach a tract of land in the county of Fairfay in the village of

land in the county of Fairfax, in the village of Herndon, containing two acres, being the same land described in a deed from A. J. Downing and wife to V. J. Sears by deed dated the 10th of March, 1870, and recorded in the land records of Fairfax county, in liber L, No. 4, folio 180; and also to attach any money in the hands of the defendant, W. W. Valk, due to the said V. J. Sears, to pay plaintiff the sum of \$276.97.

with interest thereon from the 18th day of May 1874, and the costs of this suit.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the defendant, Vincent J. Sears, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy, teste: F. D. RICHARDSON, Ci'k.

dec 11-w4w VIRGINIA: At Rules held in the Clerk's Moore, p. q. office of the County County of Alexandria county, on the first Monday in December, 1874: Eliza S. Childs, administratrix de bonis non with the will annexed of George H. Bayne, deceased, plaintiff, against Patterson Bayne and James E. Waddey, defendants. In chancery. The object of this suit is to state and settle the partnership transactions of the late firm of Geo.
H. Bayne & Co., which was composed of Geo.
H. Bayne and Patterson Bayne, and to attach the estate of the said Patterson Bayne within

this Commonwealth.

The defendant, Patterson Bayne, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and fhe rules of this Court, and it appearing by affi-davit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear hero within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexdria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of

this county. A copy, test:
LOUIS E. PAYNE, Clerk. D. L. Smoot, p. q. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That application will be made to the Auditor of the Corporation of Alexandria, Va., for the reissue of CERTIFICATE dated 1852 for six hundred dollars registered stock, standing in the name of Henrietta Meigs-the same having been lost or mislaid.

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